

EDITORIALS

Fulfillment of a Promise

The announcement that the Social Credit Government had included in its budget provision for the erection of a provincial government building in Kelowna was received with deep satisfaction by the people of this city who have long smarted under the present arrangement of government offices here.

The matter of a government building here to bring all provincial offices under one roof has long been a live issue. The City Council, the Board of Trade, this newspaper and other organizations have long and consistently pointed out that the people of this area were being penalized through the inefficiency of the present setup. While a private member of the Legislature Mr. Bennett pressed for the construction of this building and now that he is in charge of provincial affairs he has taken the opportunity of fulfilling a promise made by the former government—a promise which was consistently ignored.

Over two years ago the city exchanged valuable lakeshore property with that owned by the provincial government, on the definite understanding that a public building would be constructed immediately. The former minister of finance, Herbert Anscomb, turned a deaf ear to local representations, despite the fact Kelowna carried out its part of the bargain. Yet all along, other cities, with much smaller populations, were favored with government buildings.

The property exchange bylaw was submitted to ratepayers on the understanding a public building would be erected. To quote an extract "... for the purpose of proceeding promptly with the erection thereon of a provincial government building and court house."

This agreement was approved by the cabinet of the previous government. But the promise was never fulfilled.

About a year ago Chief Justice Farris said he would refuse to hold future court sittings in Kelowna due to inadequate facilities here. He thought it unfair for elderly people and members of the bar to walk up long flights of stairs to the present court room.

Further the efficiency of government departments was impaired because of the offices being scattered all over the city.

The city should lose no time in contacting the government architect so that plans and specifications of the proposed structure can be finalized. When the first sod is turned, it will mark the culmination of a long-standing fight on the part of the city, the Board of Trade and this newspaper to have a public building erected in this city.

Food For Thought

If secondary school enrolment is to double in the twelve years following 1952 as the Canadian Education Week folder says it will, on no less an authority than the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, then we had better take a good look at the situation in Kelowna.

This is a revelation indeed. We have already heard the prelude to this announcement and many Canadian municipalities have been forced to expand their public school facilities. New buildings have been constructed at tremendous cost but we don't propose to go into that one now.

In saluting Education Week, we think that we can make our best contribution by asking a few questions that we think pertinent to this whole problem of public education.

How sound have we been in our recent trends toward "modern" school buildings?

What expert advice have school authorities when they are faced with the necessity of building new schools?

Can we afford some of the extra-curricular facilities—(swimming pools have been built in some Canadian schools) auditoriums, ultra modern domestic science rooms, etc.—that are being built into many of our modern school buildings?

How are we going to meet the teacher shortage that already exists and catch up with the added demands of doubling our high school population?

How can we meet the ever-rising costs of education?

Do taxpayers and parents give their best attention and support to the public-spirited men and women who are elected to our boards of education?

Before we jump to conclusions, we suggest that ratepayers' associations, Boards of Trade, Chambers of Commerce, Parent-Teacher Associations and other democratic organizations have a big job in studying the problems of public education in Canada and coming up with some guidance and assistance for the 71,889 school trustees who are struggling with this problem themselves in Canada's ten provinces.

Too Many People

Asked to name the most overpopulated countries in the world, the average Canadian would probably suggest India or China. Asked to name the most overpopulated countries in Europe, he probably would suggest Italy and, since partition, Western Germany.

All these answers would be wrong. China, despite its vast population, has only 113 people for every square mile, and India, 274. For Italy, the figure is 358, and for Western Germany, 473. But for Belgium and the Netherlands it is slightly over 750. It is also at that level for England and Wales, with a figure of 440 for the United Kingdom as a whole.

A British banker recently drew attention to this state of affairs. Discussing the growth of Britain's population, to the point where it now stands around fifty million, he remarked:

"Let us remember that our population per square mile is greater than that of India or China. It is ten times greater than that of the United States. Indeed, if that country had as great a density as Great Britain, it would contain almost as many people as there are now in the whole world. It is difficult enough to deal with an inflated economy; it is even more difficult to deal with an inflated population."

The banker might with propriety have pointed out that Britain's population density is not only ten times greater than that of the United States; it is one hundred times greater than

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Turns First Sod



LIEUT. GOVERNOR WALLACE, CBE, formally turned the sod Thursday at Vancouver's Exhibition Park, for the new British Columbia Manufacturers and Electrical Buildings—three structures being built at a cost of \$1,400,000, by the Pacific National Exhibition. It is expected they will be ready for this year's fair. PNE president J. S. C. Moffitt is shown presenting the Lieut. Governor a specially mounted and engraved replica of the huge Caterpillar earth remover, which His Honor used to turn the sod.

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"Ace In The Hole"

GENERAL Phil Hergesheimer is calling on what he hopes will be his "ace in the hole" for tonight's crucial playoff game. Back in the lineup will be Mike Durban, sidelined six weeks ago with a broken wrist.

Durban will be back in his familiar left wing spot with the Hawks. Stein and Hergesheimer. His left arm still is in a cast from the knuckles up to near the elbow.

The hard-working winger is expected to add scoring punch, an item in the Packers' locker that needs replenishing. Game time is the usual 8:00 p.m.

Late this morning there were several good seats available, according to the arena management. Prices for standing room and children's seats are below the standard seat price. Tonight's program quiz prize is a propane gas range, donated by A. J. Jones Boat Works.

Tonight also will be noteworthy for the news given out concerning players and fans. The winners of the player contests conducted in the program all season long will be announced during the intermission.

The Mor-Eze Trophy will be presented to the player voted the most popular. He will also receive a wrist watch, donated by Coppercraft Studio.

The suit award to the player judged on sportsmanship, penalties and inspiration also will be made. The suit has been donated by Harry Mitchell's Men's Wear. Runner-up in this contest will receive a mantel radio from Batons.

All patrons who voted for the most popular player are eligible for a draw for another wrist watch, also donated by Coppercraft.

FOURTH GAME WEDNESDAY

The players themselves are tackling tonight's encounter with enthusiasm and guarded confidence. Even the Hawks (the teams would play only 10 minutes of overtime) would force a fourth game at Penticton Wednesday.

Meanwhile, Vernon Canadians will be making the trip to Kamloops this afternoon for the third game. That series is all square at one win apiece. Fourth game will be in Vernon Wednesday.

NO CHARGES CONTEMPLATED

Trapper-Prospector George Bowen Still Wandering Around Hills of Bear Creek

RCMP do not contemplate laying any charges against 50-year-old trapper and prospector, George S. Bowen, who last week declared "open season" on mounties and game wardens.

Bowen started a manhunt after he fired a rifle bullet into an RCMP patrol car Wednesday night around 11:30 o'clock. He then disappeared into the rugged hills of the Bear Creek district after posting a "proclamation" on a tree, adjacent to his cabin.

Bowen has lived on Westside for around ten years, and according to police, is mentally ill. On New Year's Eve, the trapper was attacked on the Indian reserve by two Westbank Indians. One of the men was subsequently convicted in police court and sentenced to jail. Bowen was released from hospital several weeks ago after recovering from severe head injuries he received as a result of the assault.

In his "proclamation" Bowen charged that marjuna was being grown on the Indian reserve. Sgt. Quigley denied the allegation.

A police dog failed to pick up the man's trail after seven officers combed the hills on Thursday and Friday. Search was temporarily abandoned over the week-end. "We are convinced he's mentally ill and we're waiting for developments," Sgt. Quigley declared.

EXPERT SHOT. Neighbors declare that Bowen, an expert in the use of firearms, "can shoot the eye out of a sparrow." He has lived by himself in his small

KIWANIS CLUB TO CONSTRUCT IRON LUNG

Kelowna Kiwanis Club plans to construct an iron lung for use at the Kelowna General Hospital.

This was revealed when the local service club requested use of the centre of workshop activities. The structure was originally scheduled to be demolished by the city.

In view of the worthy cause, City Council Monday night granted to extend the demolition order until September 30. Kiwanians believe they will be able to finish the iron lung by that time.

LOCAL FLOOD RELIEF FUND OVER \$4,400

Kelowna and district's contribution to the Canadian National European Flood Relief Fund got several big boosts over the week-end. This morning, campaign chairman Phil Meek revealed the local total stood at \$4,415, with excellent chances of topping the \$5,000 mark before many more days.

Today's total includes \$288 from the Penticton Male Chorus concert in the Empress Theatre last night; \$112 from the Junior Chamber of Commerce dance in the Legion Saturday; sum of \$104, as proceeds of the dance in Winfield, sponsored by the Winfield Community Hall Association.

Tonight the film "Royal Journey" will be shown in Westbank where a silver collection will be turned over to help flood victims in Europe. The same picture will be shown in Peachland Tuesday.

CITY TRAFFIC POST GIVEN TO POTTERTON

L. A. N. Potterton, veteran police officer, who retired from the service last year, has been appointed traffic control officer in the City of Kelowna.

It is understood that Mr. Potterton's appointment was approved by council in committee last week and that it will be made official at the meeting this afternoon scheduled to start at 5:00 p.m.

Mr. Potterton was formerly NCO in charge of the Prince Rupert detachment of the RCMP. An ex-Provincial Police officer before the mounties took over, he came to Kelowna about six months ago to retire.

Mr. Potterton's duties will consist mainly of checking car parking on city streets. He started on his "beat" this morning.

AWAIT WARMER WEATHER FOR ROAD PATCHING

Road patching operations will get underway as soon as there is an improvement in the weather, Ald. H. F. L. Keller informed council last week. Warm days are needed so that the asphalt will harden quickly.

Ald. Keller stated there is a considerable amount of patching to be done.

He also revealed that a monthly vehicle report is being received from the public works department. Reports cover the operation of all cars, both city and privately owned. Figures show the number of miles driven, gasoline consumption, repairs, etc.

NOTED SPORTSMAN WILL ADDRESS JAYCEES TONIGHT

Guest speaker at the Junior Chamber of Commerce monthly dinner meeting tonight in Kenneth Conliffe, renowned outdoorsman and wild life enthusiast, lecturer and writer. He spent many years in the Northwest Territories following his chosen work.

WARN MOTORISTS

City parking bylaw will be rigidly enforced, Mayor J. J. Ladd stated today.

L. A. N. Potterton this morning took the oath of office as a special traffic officer, and commenced to check cars over-staying the one-hour parking limit.

Motorists are warned the 60-minute parking bylaw will be strictly enforced from here on in.

CORONATION DAY COMMITTEE MEETS THURSDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the Coronation Day planning committee will be held in the City Hall Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Ald. Art Jackson was appointed chairman of a committee, and representatives of various organizations have been invited to attend.

Recently O. L. Jones, M.P., accepted the city's invitation to be one of the guest speakers at the celebration, which will probably be held in the City Park.

CITY SURPLUS END OF YEAR WAS \$1,000

City of Kelowna finished the year with a surplus of \$28,745, Mayor J. J. Ladd revealed at Monday night's council meeting. However, the mayor explained the actual surplus was only around \$1,000.

He explained when the 1952 budget was brought down, the city had taken \$41,000 from working capital and had paid a note at the bank for local improvement bylaw purposes to the value of \$13,000, leaving the \$28,000 which the government regarded as surplus. On the city's books, however, there is only a surplus of around \$1,000.

"I feel if private business had kept books, the loan would normally have been repaid and would have shown a surplus of \$1,000," he said. "By replacing the amount of our working capital, the city is not impaired any more than last year." City has a working capital of around \$125,000.

Mr. Ladd commended civic departments for keeping within the budget.

MUNICIPAL HEADS REJECT SCHOOL PLAN

Union of British Columbia Municipalities has rejected the Rolston formula for giving some financial relief to municipalities insofar as education costs are concerned.

Mayor J. J. Ladd, upon his return to the city this morning, said that while majority of delegates at the day-long Vancouver parley were opposed to the proposed formula, he did not necessarily agree with the stand. "I think it was a case of the right direction even though a lot of adjustments would have to be made," he declared.

Under the proposed plan, about 75 percent of the municipalities would have benefited. The larger municipalities, or those with a population of over 50,000, did not stand to benefit as much as smaller centres, Mr. Ladd stated.

SUBMIT REPORT. His worship is expected to give a detailed report at the council meeting late this afternoon.

Many of the delegates took exception to government Bill 45 which called for re-assessing the entire province under the proposed formula. Regarding the nine-mill levy as the municipal share of education costs, the meeting recommended that the sales tax be continued on the basis of 1 1/2 cents out of three—or 50 percent of the sales tax. At present the municipalities have been getting one-third of the tax.

Delegates approved the proposal whereby the government would set up a \$4,400,000 special fund to cover education costs, and also approved the government suggestion regarding financing of school buildings.

Groups Pay Tribute To Community Chest For Financial Aid

Total of \$19,029.73 Collected in 1952

TOTAL of \$19,029.73—the largest amount collected since the Kelowna and District Community Chest organization was formed three years ago—was collected in the campaign conducted last fall.

This was revealed at the annual meeting of the association held in the board room of B.C. Tree Fruits Friday night. Three new directors were chosen to fill the five vacant posts on the executive. They were Mrs. K. Brewster, Mrs. R. Haug and Jack Snowsall. Mrs. G. Rannard and Don Fillmore were re-elected. Three retiring members of the board, Mrs. W. T. L. Roadhouse, Mrs. H. M. Trueman and Dave Hayward, declined to run again.

Glowing reports of accomplishments during the past 12 months, were submitted by the chairmen of various committees. C. E. R. Bazett, Community Chest chairman, paid tribute to the score of volunteer workers who were responsible for making last year's financial drive so successful. Mr. Bazett pointed out the 1952 objective was \$19,000, but this had been exceeded by \$29.73. Kelowna is one of the few centres in B.C. to exceed the quota in the 1952 Red Feather campaign.

Money collected is divided among the 14 participating agencies, many of which would be unable to carry on were it not for the Community Chest and Welfare Fund. Mr. Bazett referred to the fact that last year's campaign was the third annual drive, and that Community Chest would only be successful in future years providing the average individual supports the organization.

MEMBERS OF BOARD

Five directors are elected every year. The 15-member executive now consists of Max de Puyffer, C. E. R. Bazett, Don Bruce, Ven. Archdeacon D. S. Catchpole, F. N. Gisborne, Mrs. K. Brewster, Mrs. George Rannard, Don Fillmore, Mrs. T. F. McWilliams, Mrs. R. Haug, Jack Snowsall, C. O. Dods, Mrs. J. F. Prior, T. Hamilton and H. B. Simpson. Ald. Art Jackson is the city representative.

Total of 15 reports were submitted to the meeting, all of which outlined work of various organizations. Details of these reports will be published from time to time in The Kelowna Courier.

Those submitting reports were: KART, Jack O'Reilly; David Lloyd-Jones Home, Mrs. M. de Puyffer; Boy Scout Association, Dr. H. Henderson; Canadian National Institute for the Blind, Les Wilson; Dr. Knox Chapter, IODE, Mrs. Harold Johnston; Mary Ellen Boyce Chapter, IODE, Mrs. P. Jones; clothing depot of Local Council of Women, Mrs. L. R. Stephens; Girl Guide Association, Mrs. George Rannard; Health and Welfare and Home-Maker Service, Tom Hamilton; Kelowna Junior Band Association, Mark Rose (submitted by Jim Logie); Navy League, Jim Whillis; con D. S. Catchpole, F. N. Gisborne, Salvation Army, Major W. Fitch.

Schools Hold Open House Sessions All This Week

OPEN house sessions will be held in all Kelowna and district schools during Education Week, which is being observed March 1 to March 7 throughout the Dominion.

Kelowna Elementary schools will hold open house on Wednesday afternoon. Regular classroom procedure will be carried on and tea will be served at the Martin Avenue school and at the Central Elementary school.

Kelowna Junior High school will have open house Tuesday from 2:00 p.m. Regular classes will be held and tea will be served to visitors. Classroom inspection will be held in the evening.

Kelowna Senior High school open session will be held Wednesday evening from 7:30 p.m. Textbooks, project work, notebooks, demonstrations will be displayed and refreshments served.

Rutland High school will show educational films, displays of students' project work and an exhibition of grade nine dress-making at an open house Tuesday afternoon. Tea will be served by the Red Cross group.

SHOW FILMS. Open house session will be held in Westbank at the George Pringle

SEVEN LOCAL MUSICIANS PASS EXAMS

Seven Kelowna students were listed as successful candidates in examinations held recently by the Royal Conservatory of Music of Toronto.

In grade V theory, harmony and counterpoint, Edna McDonald received a pass; Marion Ferguson and Jean May Ritchie received first class honors in grade II theory and Marlene Diane Smith and Darlene Cookson received honor and pass marks respectively, while in Grade II theory, Catherine Clark received first class honors and Donna Cookson, honors.

The "Voice of the Black and Gold" will devote one program to a discussion by counsellors, teachers, students and principal of Kelowna High School of the senior high curriculum and a combined group of junior high and elementary teachers and principals will meet in a third program to conduct a half hour question and answer session with parents on educational problems in general. In addition to these the P.T.A. will devote its Sunday afternoon program throughout March to a series of five points of view on "What the Child Gets Out of School," giving an opportunity to parent, teacher and student to have his say.

Local Lions Will Again Stage Annual Gymkhana

ANNUAL gymkhana will again be sponsored by the Kelowna Lions Club at The City Park over Labor Day holiday, it was revealed at the annual meeting of the Kelowna and District Riding Club.

The gymkhana attracts riders from all parts of the Okanagan and northern Washington, and is considered one of the highlights of the Labor Day week-end.

In the election of officers, Stan Munson was chosen president, succeeding Max Berard. Other members of the executive are: W. Barlee, honorary president; H. C. S. Collett, honorary vice-president; G. D. Cameron, vice-president; Mrs. A. D. Weddell, secretary; and Mrs. F. Pridham, treasurer. Directors include Mrs. E. Davis, Mrs. E. Wil-

son, Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. Crowthers, Max Berard, Lorne Greenway, Clarence Harris, Ken Armstrong and Miss Donna Miller.

Financial report revealed the riding club is in a better position than last year. The club had taken part in activities at Vernon, Penticton, Kelowna and Armstrong during the past year.

During the brief discussion it was revealed that Bill Spear has donated a trophy for competition at the gymkhana. Mr. Treadgold and Joe Herard have also donated money for the benefit of the club.

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RCAF SABRE SHOWS TEETH



IN ORDER to maintain pin-point accuracy, frequent gun-checks are held on RCAF aircraft, similar to this held at RCAF Station, Uplands. Here, the inky darkness of the night gives dramatic impact to the firing power of an F-86 Sabre as tracer bullets from its six .50 calibre machine guns punctuate the blackness in flaming lines of light. The Canadian-built

Sabre, the Western world's fastest and deadliest fighter plane, is equipped to carry bombs and rockets in addition to its regular armament. Having achieved considerable success against enemy fighters in Korea, RCAF Sabres are also in force in Europe, with an RCAF 12 squadron air division rapidly being implemented. —National Defence Photo

**CITY'S SHARE
1953 LIBRARY
COSTS \$5,536**

Report tabled at City Council meeting Monday night by Okanagan Regional Library, showed how the various costs, were compiled for South Okanagan municipalities. Kelowna's share was based on a population of 8,517 people. Per capita charge is 65 cents for all districts. The city will have to pay \$5,536.05; Glenmore \$727.35; Peachland, \$399.10 and unorganized areas \$8,030.10.

**Vernon Hospital Staff
Wins 7% Wage Increase**

VERNON—More than 100 employees of, Vernon Jubilee Hospital will receive an increase in wages and salaries for 1953.

In the case of approximately 60 of the number, members of Local 180, Vancouver Hospital Employees Union, who are sub-staff workers, orderlies, dietary workers and similarly employed personnel, a seven per cent increase awarded by a conciliation board will apply.

Members of the nursing staff will receive a like adjustment in their salaries for the current calendar year, a decision that has been tabled pending a settlement with the sub-staff union.

It is presumed that employees of the Kelowna General Hospital will get a similar increase. J. T. Monteith, local hospital board representative, also took part in the talks, but he declined to make a statement upon returning to the city, other than to say that he was "optimistic."

Mr. Monteith said he would prefer to submit his report to the hospital board meeting before making a statement to the press. Details of the discussion were made public by K. W. Kinnard, president of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital Board, and it is presumed the same situation applies to the Kelowna General Hospital.

K. W. Kinnard, president of Jubilee Hospital Board, made this announcement following a meeting between himself, VJH administrator J. O. Dale, Premier: W. A. C. Bennett, Minister of Health and Welfare Eric Martin, BCHS Commissioner L. Detwiller, assistant commissioner Donald M. Cox, and the union.

Mr. Kinnard emphasized on his return from the coast that he believed the government's attitude was that any majority award of a conciliation board should be implemented.

"We received excellent consideration. I am satisfied and proud," Mr. Kinnard said, adding that the government had "apparently judged the needs of each hospital on its own merit."

Subsequent to the Victoria talks, Mr. Kinnard reported back to the hospital board, which decided to implement the agreement with the sub-staff union, and thought that a similar adjustment should be made in the nursing staff salaries.

Mr. Kinnard said that while the government had made it clear it would expect the majority award of the conciliation board to be implemented, he in turn was emphatic that the board did not propose to enter into any agreement that would mean an operating deficit.

"The government had some (unrevealed) plan for materially reducing bad debts due to uncollectable accounts, which would accrue to the benefit of the hospital, and it was felt that it might thus be possible to award the increase and still keep within the 1952 operating costs," Mr. Kinnard said.

"I feel that if we do everything within our power to operate economically and keep within reasonable limits, our operating expenses will be taken care of," he added.

CONCILIATION BOARD

The impasse went back to the latter part of 1952 when the sub-staff union asked for readjustment of its contract for 1953. Its request was not considered feasible by the board; nor were similar demands made to the board of the Kelowna General Hospital considered by its members. Acting in conjunction, it was decided to refer the question to a conciliation board which subsequently sat in Vancouver and granted the employees a seven per cent increase across the board, plus some other minor adjustments.

Simultaneously the government advised B.C. hospitals that they would be expected to operate in 1953 with no advance in daily rate payable to the hospitals by the BCHS.

In view of the fact that increases had been granted to employees in

1952, and no major change in the cost of living had been experienced the board claimed it was impossible to grant increases and operate on the 1952 rate without creating a deficit.

The board felt it could not take any action to implement the award of the conciliation board, thus creating a situation not satisfactory to the union.

Enderby Memorial Hospital, still beset with involved financial difficulties, definitely will not close its doors despite threats to the contrary, hospital association president Howard Logan stated.

A month ago, the hospital's staff were given notices terminating employment February 28; its secretary-treasurer resigned, and Mr. Logan indicated his intention not to seek a further term of office.

Mr. Logan said no statement as to the directors' intentions for the hospital's future could be released until after the board's annual meeting. However, he imagined the institution would remain in operation.

**SCHOOL DEBATE
WILL BE HELD
AT WESTBANK**

WESTBANK — Executive members of the Parent-Teacher Association here have arranged for a panel discussion on the merits of old methods of education versus the new, in which C. Hansen, William MacLachlan, Miss Doreen Dobbin and Mrs. F. H. Springer will take part. The debate will take place on Monday, March 9, at 8:00 o'clock in the stage room of George Pringle High. This will be followed by a general discussion, plus refreshments, and everyone interested is welcome.

The first undertaking of the re-organized P.T.A., which already boasts a membership of 50, is the ten to be served Wednesday afternoon, March 4, in the school lunch room. This is the occasion of "open day" during Education Week, and classrooms will be open to the public from 1:00 p.m. Ten will be served from 2:00 o'clock on, with pre-school children free. An added attraction during the afternoon will be a sale of home-cooking by the Student's Council, also to be held in the lunch-room.

The following executive members, and conveners for next Wednesday's tea met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. R. H. Springer, secretary; Mrs. A. C. Shetler, publicity; Mrs. A. V. Walker, Mrs. Gordon McCaulder and Mrs. Orville Charlton.

**KELOWNA FILM
COUNCIL GETS
15 PICTURES**

Kelowna Area Film Council received a block of 15 films on Friday, which will remain here until April 15.

The films are "Bushland Revels," "Face of Time," "Valley of the Ten-Peaces," "Round the World Peace," "Ski in the Valley of the Saints," "Photo Canada," "Story of a Violin," "Teeth are to Keep," "West Wind," "Newfoundland Atlantic Province," "Salt from the Earth," "Exercise Musk Ox," "Careers and Credits," "Nursing," and "Solar Fa-

**Keremeos Growers
Will Rebuild Plant**

KEREMEOS—Growers will rebuild the co-operative packing plant destroyed in a \$300,000 fire last fall. Site is to be studied following contention of some of the growers that it should be closer to Cawston than originally planned.

A 230,000-box plant costing \$300,000 to build and containing \$142,150 worth of machinery is planned.

Growers authorized reconstruction at a largely-attended meeting at which President Lorne Coleman of the Keremeos Fruit Growers Co-operative outlined proposals and urged an immediate start.

Mr. Coleman said the building must be pushed to be ready for the 1953 crop. It was probable soft fruits could be handled in the existing No. 2 plant, but it could not take

apples too.

The 1952 apple crop amounted to 371,948 boxes.

The new plant will be the most modern of its kind, taking advantage of all possible time and labor-saving devices. Design follows intensive study by directors of Canadian and American packing plants.

MIDWAY SITE

Proposal to place it on the site of the present Great Northern Railway station so it would be close to No. 2 plant brought opposition from a number of growers who wanted it midway between Keremeos and the rapidly-expanding Cawston district.

Nine hundred acres of new orchards, including a large VLA project, have been planted in the Cawston area in the last two years.

**Costs of Producing, Distributing
Fruit Traced to CCF by Snowsell**

"Costs of Production and Distribution of Fruit," illustrating the expense a farmer had to incur to grow apples was Jack Snowsell's topic of address at the CCF meeting Monday night.

"Under the present system, a farmer's income and standard of living is uncertain and insecure. In the years from 1947 to 1953, a farmer selling an average of 8,000 apples per year had a varied income from as low as \$560 one year to \$4,480 in another, averaging only \$2,728," Mr. Snowsell maintained.

He went on to say that the CCF hoped to introduce agricultural planning to give security to the farmer and to provide good food at a fair price to the consumer. Provincially, the CCF hoped the farmers' organizations could extend their control of their product through co-operative wholesaling right to the consumer. Federally, a CCF government could and would plan finance and exchange, exports and imports, guarantee the farmer a good price and encourage increased production to help the backward nations, thereby putting United Nations principles into action.

Some of the costs of producing vegetables were reviewed by Tom Wilkinson, pointing out that the distributor, not the producer, gained control of the product and made the most profit.

"Canning is increasing in volume and becoming a major outlet for many vegetables, but because the canning is controlled by private companies, the farmers receive small returns," Mr. Wilkinson said. He stated that canning companies were decreasing in number, and business is steadily assuming the aspect of a monopoly like many other big combines in Canada.

"Three big wholesalers now control the distribution of raw vegetables," he declared.

"Only the CCF is prepared to make the necessary changes in our economic set-up," the speaker concluded.

Two minutes' silence was observed in memory of Arthur Burnett, who was killed in an auto accident the latter part of last year.

LONG SERVICE

MARYFIELD, Sask. — A half-century of continuous service to his community ended with the recent resignation of Charles Scott. He had been secretary-treasurer of Maryfield school division north of here since January, 1903.

**CONVALESCENT
HOME PROPOSED
AT WESTBANK**

WESTBANK—Among those in Westbank aware of the keen interest taken, and the active work done, by E. E. Winch, in the field of mental health, and the fact that due to overcrowding an extension to the existing mental hospital is necessary, the idea has been put forward that the salubrious climate of the sunny Okanagan might well be considered as the site for a convalescent home for such patients.

It is further proposed that part of the Westbank Indian Reserve overlooking the lake would be as fine a setting for such a home as may be found anywhere.



RETURNING to Canada after 40 years spent in the United States with the passenger department of the Canadian National Railway, A. C. L. Warner has been appointed general passenger agent, British Columbia district, CNR and CPWS, with headquarters in Vancouver. He succeeds S. M. "Shay" Greene, who retires on pension February 28.

Born in London, England, Mr. Warner began railroading at Montreal in 1916. Four years later, he was sent to the United States with the CNR's passenger department and served in Detroit, Cincinnati, and for the past two years, in Seattle as general agent.

SQUADRON ORDERS

By Major D. G. Balsillie, ED
Officer Commanding
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BLAKEBOROUGH: To Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Blakeborough of Kelowna, February 26, a son.

BURNELL: To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Burnell of Kelowna, February 26, a son.

KANAKA: To Mr. and Mrs. Masso Kanaka of R.R. 3, February 27, a son.

AT SMITHERS: HEMELSPECK: To Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hemelspeck (nee Janice Lindsay) on February 25, a daughter, seven pounds, 10 ounces.

Student Nurses' Choir Sing At Merriman-O'Neil Nuptials

St. Joseph's Hospital student nurses' choir sang in the background as Margaret Mary Lucille O'Neil, RN, exchanged nuptial vows on St. Valentine's Day with John Glenison Noel Merriman in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, which was decorated with Calla lilies.

Rev. Father M. O'Connell performed the double-ring ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Neil, Kelowna, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Merriman, Victoria. Miss Norma Corle, RN, sang "Ave Maria" while the couple signed the register.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown styled with bodice of lace, the yoke of net topped with a lace Peter Pan collar, fingertip-length sleeves, and white carnations.

Mr. Ramon Hummel was groomsmen and ushers were Mr. Robert Fleming, Mr. J. D. Kyle and Mr. Edward O'Neil.

Hither and Yon

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY ... Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schneider were the honorees of friends and relatives Thursday night on the occasion of their 54th wedding anniversary, at their home at 1884 Ethel Street.

Married near Odessa, Russia, Mr. and Mrs. Schneider lived in Regina for a time and farmed in Saskatchewan prior to coming to Kelowna in 1931. They have seven children, 16 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

RETURNED ON WEEK-END ... Vancouver guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Scott, 455 Park Avenue, returned to the coast city over the week-end. While visiting here, Mrs. M. McGee, Mrs. Scott's mother, was feteed on a number of occasions. Mr. McGee arrived to spend the week-end before they departed for home.

LEAVING ON TRIP ... Mrs. Stanley Henderson left today for a holiday trip to Vancouver and Seattle.

REUNION ... Four sisters who had not been together for 10 years were reunited over the week-end when Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, of Montreal, and Mrs. J. F. Sanders, of Vancouver, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Jensen and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hall.

Mrs. Sutherland and daughter, Anne, holidayed for ten days while Mrs. Saunders, daughter Nina, and also Mr. Sutherland arrived to spend the week-end. The visitors left Sunday for Vancouver from where the Eastern guests will fly home.

FROM SMITHERS ... Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Scott and young son Brian, arrived Friday morning from Smithers to spend two weeks holidaying with Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dooley, 1788 Ethel Street.

VISITED DAUGHTER ... Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manson returned recently from a visit to Vancouver where they holidayed for a week with their daughter, Miss Shirley Manson.

COASTAL TRIP ... Mr. Jim Thompson left Friday morning for Vancouver to meet Mrs. Thompson who has been holidaying in the coastal city. They returned home Sunday.

HOSTS TO PARTY ... Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Brunette were hosts to a number of friends at a party following the hockey game between the Penticton and Kelowna Thursday night.

HOLIDAY IN HONOLULU ... Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haug left Wednesday for Vancouver from where they flew to Honolulu to spend a few weeks vacationing.

LEAVING KELOWNA ... Mrs. Fred Gibson entertained Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. Fred Baines, who, with sons, David and John, left Saturday for Vancouver to join Mr. Baines who left some weeks ago to take up his new post with the Bank of Montreal.

BUSINESS AT COAST ... Mayor J. J. Ladd left Friday afternoon for Vancouver to attend a special meeting of the Union of B.C. Municipalities. He will return home today.

BRIDAL SHOWER ... An umbrella sheltered a shower gift of a hostess chair, decked in pink and white wrappings, which was presented to Miss Pat Goultie by 30 friends Friday evening at the nurse's residence, prior to Miss Goultie's marriage to Mr. Hugo Cookson on March 14.

After the evening's entertainment, refreshments were served.

RECENT BRIDE



Margaret Mary Lucille O'Neil, RN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Neil, 2238 Long Street, who became Mrs. John Glenison Noel Merriman on February 14, at St. Andrew's Cathedral in Victoria.

LOCAL STUDENTS ATTEND PARLEY AT VANCOUVER

Shirley Mae Gerrie, Westbank, and two KHS students, Linda Ghezzi and George Fry were representatives at a two-day conference held on the UBC campus Friday and Saturday. Purpose of the conference was to bring high school students to the campus where they could see what the university has to offer them and what their years at UBC will involve. The representatives from the various parts of the province return to their districts and pass on what they have learned at UBC in the discussion groups with other students.

This was the sixth consecutive year the conference was held.

LOCAL GROUP HEARS TALK ON GARDENING

Fifteen members were presented with an interesting paper on "The Garden" by Mrs. Michael Hall and Miss Enid Meston at Thursday evening's meeting of Alpha Epsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, held at the home of Miss Olive van Cooten.

Following the business meeting, refreshments were served by hostess, Miss Helena Habkirk.

The next meeting of the Chapter will be on March 12, at the home of Mrs. R. J. Sweetnam, 588 Lawrence Avenue.

TO SPOKANE ... Mr. and Mrs. Al Trump returned home Tuesday from a week's holiday in Spokane.

Club Notes

LISTENING GROUP

The Listening Group will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. M. A. Van't Hoff, 1477 St. Paul St., at 8:00 p.m.

ELEMENTARY P-T-A

The Elementary P-T-A will meet on Tuesday, March 3, in the Junior High school auditorium at 8:00 p.m.

JUNIOR-SENIOR P-T-A

The Junior-Senior P-T-A of Kelowna will meet with the Elementary P-T-A for the month of March on Tuesday, March 3, at 8:00 p.m. in the Junior High school auditorium.

RUMMAGE SALE

The Catholic Women's League will hold a rummage sale in St. Joseph's Hall, Wednesday, March 4, at 2:00 p.m.

ROWING CLUB

The annual general meeting of the Rowing Club will be held on Thursday, March 5, in the Arena Memorial room at 7:30 p.m.

SOROPTIMIST CLUB

The Soroptimist Club of Kelowna will meet on Friday, March 6, at the home of Mrs. A. G. Shelley, 1476 Bertram Street, at 8:00 p.m.

RUMMAGE SALE

The Ladies' Kelowna Golf Club will hold a rummage sale in the Scout Hall on Saturday, March 7, at 9:30 a.m.

BEEKEEPERS MEETING

The annual general meeting of the Kelowna division, B.C. Honey Producers Association will be held in the B.C. Tree Fruits Board room on Monday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m.

BRIDGE AND TEA

The Anglican Parish Guild will hold a St. Patrick's bridge and tea in the Anglican hall on Tuesday, March 17, at 2:00 p.m.

SOROPTIMIST SALE

The Soroptimist Club of Kelowna will hold its spring rummage sale on March 21 in the Orange Hall.

KAMLOOPS-OKANAGAN PRESBYTERY

The Kamloops-Okanagan Presbytery of the United Church of Canada will meet in First United Church on March 3, 4, and 5.

ANGELICAN GUILD

The Anglican Parish Guild will hold a rummage sale on Wednesday, April 8, at 2:00 p.m. in the Anglican hall.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. P. B. Willis returned to her home in Pendozi Manor on Saturday from Kelowna General Hospital where she has been recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident last November.

MONICA HILL TAKES FIGURE SKATING HONORS

Five members of the Kelowna Figure Skating Club competed in the first intermediate free skating competition at Memorial Arena on Sunday.

Monica Hill topped first honors with her display of speed, skill and control in the jumps and spins. Lynn McDougall and John Franks tied for second, Connie Markewich placed third and Joan Hergesheimer fourth.

LIBRARY HEADS CONCERNED OVER REDUCED GRANT

Concern over possible reduction of provincial government grants to the Okanagan Regional Library, was expressed by executive members who attended a meeting in Penticton yesterday.

It was pointed out by reducing the government grant, it would upset the 1953 library budget, and as soon as this matter is clarified another conference will be held.

The Okanagan Regional Library provides library service to over 50 communities from Salmon Arm south to the border, including Keremeos.

Plans were approved for the new location of libraries at Penticton, Summerland and Salmon Arm, and grants will be made by the board to assist these communities in setting up new libraries.

HORTICULTURAL GROUP TO HOLD MONTHLY MEETS

The Kelowna and District Horticultural Society decided at a recent meeting to hold monthly meetings the first Tuesday of each month, in the B.C. Tree Fruits board room at 8:00 p.m. The meetings will be addressed by heads of departments of agriculture and district horticulturists of the valley. Films will also be shown at most meetings.

C. H. Taylor of East Kelowna showed some outstanding colored slides of various gardens in Kelowna and of scenes in British Columbia.

The annual meeting of the society will be held March 5. E. Gregory will talk on "Interesting and Unusual Plants in the Garden."

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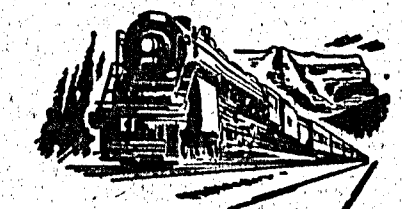
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"OR ELSE" POINT REACHED

V's Have Packers in Bad Way, Need Only One More Triumph

By AL DENGRIE

KELOWNA 1, PENTICTON 3

SOME slightly trite expressions like "brink of elimination" and "backs to the wall" are applicable at the moment to the Kelowna Packers. They have no place to go but up—if they want to stay in the race for the Willoughby Trophy and stay on the payroll for a spell yet.

They reached the as-far-as-they-can-go spot without being complete goners, Saturday night at Pentiction, when they couldn't quite match the better passing and drive of the V's. In many departments the Packers were on a par, in goalkeeping and in some other classifications they were superior. But Pentiction earned a 3-1 victory and now the V's need only one more win to move into the final against either Vernon or Kamloops.

If need be, they have the next three games in which to gain that

HOSKINS, out with a toe fracture, PHIL HERGESHEIMER had some new combos again. DON FRASER was in Hoskins' slot, sticking on BILL WARWICK. FRANK KULY was moved up front. HARVEY STEIN labored heroically for KELOWNA's solitary marker. Further line scrambling in an effort to find more deadly combinations had Hergesheimer double time. He was driving with Stein when the goal was scored but started out on right with JOE KAISER and FRANK KULY. V's had everyone in strip but DOUG KILBURN.

First period—1, Pentiction, Berry (Fleming, McIntyre) 13:27. Penalties: Fleming, K. Amundrud, Carlson, Roche, Fleming, Schmidt. Second period—Scoring: Nil. Penalties—Berry, B. Warwick, Hanson. Third period—2, Kelowna, Stein (Hergesheimer) 4:49; 3, Pentiction, Schmidt (McAvoy) 12:38; 4, Pentiction, D. Warwick (B. Warwick) 18:04. Penalties: Fleming (minor and misconduct), Carlson.

SCORED IN FIRST

The onus was on Phil Hergesheimer's crew pretty early with Pentiction notching a goal in the first period. It took the Packers 30 minutes before they could catch up. Packer Backers had reason to feel confident of ultimate victory in that game as the V's lost a player to the penalty timekeeper a few seconds later and the Packers really got it tough for Ivan McLelland and his cohorts.

Even when the V's came back to full strength, the Packers kept pouring on the heat but eventually lost the initiative in the same way they gained it. They had to fight off a penalty themselves.

Bear's crew actually never relinquished thereafter. A minute after the Kelowna penalty was up, Willie Schmidt sailed in with the winner, sinking a clever relay from George McAvoy. The clincher came in the last two minutes when Packers had just about given up defensive work, concentrating on getting the equalizer before time ran out.

WARWICKS SHADOWED

It was one of the few times the Warwick line got out from cover and superbly Dick and Bill combined for the prettiest scoring effort of the night, the former doing the finishing.

The Packers skated just as hard and checked just as well, but around the net the homesters had the better class. Jack Gibson pulled off many fabulous saves. McLelland was given his greatest test in the first period when the Packers had a one-man advantage for 3½ minutes and a two-man margin for 30 seconds. Packers actually scored during a pileup at this time, but a split second before the referees had whistled to give a second penalty to the V's.

Penalty-killing on both sides was a feature of the game. All goals came while the teams were at full strength.

FROZEN FLURRIES—V's also lost a goal by the disallowance route right in the final minute of play. Without the service of FRANK

BLIND LEAD BLINDFOLDED IN CONTEST ON BOWLING ALLEY

Five tried and true five-pinnings found the sport was only a shot in the dark when they were blindfolded last week in a match against five members of the Blind Bowling Club at the Gay-Way.

These temporarily deprived of their sight were no match for the quintet who have made the most of their handicap for years and come through with flying colors.

Possibly the worst off for being temporarily blinded was big Ed Turner, an over 200 average bowler, who made only two points in his first game. He got 70 and 60 in the next two for a triple of 132.

Slim Marsden was accused of being a night owl or of practicing on the side when he rolled a 143 in his third game. Scores of the opposing teams were:

BLIND—Black 370, Perkins 363, Foulis 170, Clark 281, Campbell 427, 427, 540-1544.

BLINDFOLDED—Whetell 182, Apsey 88, Marsden 215, Turner 132, Matsuba 130, 108, 288, 349-745.

Brown's Slap Shot Busts Up Ball Game In Stunning Manner

PENTICTON 3, KELOWNA 2

THE huge frame of Eddie Brown had to be sturdy to carry the load of team-mates who literally mobbed him with cheery pats and congratulatory hugs for giving the Pentiction V's the opening round in their best-of-five semi-final with the Kelowna Packers.

A few seconds before Brown staggered off the ice under the load of well-wishers, he had finished a ding-dong nip-and-tuck playoff battle with startling suddenness. It was all the more difficult to believe for everyone in the arena because the Pentiction team was short-handed at the time, with backs to the wall and apparently content to hold on to the end of regulation time to the 2-2 deadlock and then hope for victory in the 10-minute overtime.

The atmosphere for an even more hectic few seconds than those that had patrons tied up in knots all during the earlier part of the third period was added when George McAvoy was judged for charging Brian Roche. This came at the 10:15 mark.

For a few moments, the Packers, with the extra man, peppered the Pentiction portal but dogged persistence on the part of the V's forestalled the puck into the Kelowna end. Don Berry dug it out from the corner to Brown at the point and the defenceman hurried a wild slap shot in the general direction of the goal.

HIT ARM, THEN IN

Jack Gibson just saw enough of the partially screened and screaming shot to touch it with his arm. The whistling rubber changed its course and ended in the rigging in the corner on the right side of the Kelowna goaler.

Thus was the end written to the first game in the bitter Pentiction-Kelowna series. Within a second, the Pentiction supporters realized what had happened and pandemonium broke loose. Packer Backers were downright silent—overglut. Some who recovered from the shock before the final sands of the game ran out muttered something about "how lucky can they get?"

Brown's goal, as mentioned earlier, busted up a 2-2 ball game that was as tight as the score indicated. The Packers held the edge in offensive and defensive play in the first and scoreless stanza but the visitors retaliated with the same measures of success in the stanza, even more so by counting the first goal shortly before the frame ended.

Packers clicked for two goals early in the third to go out front for the first time, but two minutes later the "Terrific Trio" shook loose from their covers and squared matters, setting the stage for the tense, dramatic and puzzling finish.

A battle royal developed quickly in the last minute of the first period after Bill Warwick and Jack Gibson, were in another of their mixups. Warwick, enroute to the penalty box on an interference call, turned around and went back at Gibson like a maddened bull. Nearly everyone on the ice was throwing punches or headlocks in no time flat. For a moment it looked as if Bill Warwick and referee Arnold Smith would square off.

The biggest battle had Grant Warwick and Brian Roche as participants, but nobody got hurt. Grant was set to take on Bo Carlson after he and Roche were parted by Carlson but thought better of it, changing to a head-butted swing.

FROZEN FLURRIES—For two periods the PENTICTON power, concentrated in the WARWICKS, was held to a slow trot by great cover work on the part of the HAM string. They shook loose the odd time in the third, once getting the goal that tied the score at 2-2 and was an offset missed by the referees.

FRANK HOSKINS had his night's work cut out for himself trying to shadow BILL WARWICK what with a broken toe, incurred in the Tuesday contest. It was "frozen" for the game. BILL CARSE had JIM FLEMING on defence and WILLY SCHMIDT at center. PHIL HERGESHEIMER had JOE KAISER pivoting himself and DON FRASER while HARVEY STEIN centered GEORGE TAMBLYN and BRIAN ROCHE. Both goalies pulled off breath-taking saves and every goal was well-earned. Shots on goal were 23 each.

First period—Scoring: Nil. Pen-

ONCE WRESTLED BEAR

Marcel Bonin, Detroit Red Wings' rookie winger, once collected \$100 for wrestling a 600-pound bear being shown by a travelling troupe.

SPELAY AT COLEMAN

VERNON—Former Vernon juvenile star, Tony Spelay, is clicking well with the Coleman, Alta., junior hockey team in the WCJHL.

HOLD SHUTTLE MEET

VERNON—Shuttle stars from all over the Okanagan were here Saturday and Sunday for the North Okanagan Badminton Championships.

Bears Reach End of Cage Activities

Kelowna Bears have joined the ever increasing number of teams that are hanging up their equipment as playoffs all across the land dwindle the number of winter sports participants. Larry Schlosser's crew were unable to keep stride with the Kamloops Merchants at Kamloops Friday as the homesters wiped out a 14-point lead the Bears gained in the first game to end on the long end of a 128-113 count in the two-game series.

The undoing process came in the first half. The Merchants kept possession of the ball much of the stretch, taking time out to chalk up a 13-4 advantage in the first quarter and potting 19 to Kelowna's 8 in the second.

Bears had pretty much the same stalwarts that handcuffed the Kamloopsians in the first encounter but the Merchants were bolstered by the addition of Buck Buchanan, who personally accounted for 17 points. Starry Hank Tostenon was in the game for about a minute only, finding playing with a cracked finger too much to take. He injured the digit in the first game here.

PENTICTON NEXT

It was the Bears' first loss in seven games, or ever since the locals found the winning combination and came up off the floor to win playoffs from all sides.

Kamloops now will meet Pentiction's Omegas in a two-game final for the interior championship.

KELOWNA—Gee 5, Botham 1, Kane 5, Hayward 19, Tostenon, Bogress 4, Wiens 5, Ritchie, Thompson, Greenaway, Total 39.

KAMLOOPS—J. Fowles 10, L. Fowles 6, D. Marriott 12, B. Marriott 2, Buchanan 17, Foulger 7, Camp 14, Total 68.

CANUCKS BLANK KAMLOOPS IN SERIES OPENER

VERNON 5, KAMLOOPS 0

KAMLOOPS—Playing like anything but a bottom-place club the Vernon Canadians hung a 5-0 whitewash on the Kamloops Elks here Thursday in the opening game of the best-of-five OSIL semi-finals.

Lorne Lussler in posting his first shutout of the season, was in superb form and the defence corps in front of him had to apologize to no one. The defencemen were the backbone of the shutout as Bill Geary, Doug Lane, Tom Steacy and Bill Pettigier held the Elks right at the blue line.

Oddly, the game saw Leo Lucchini, the twice winner of the league's most sportsmanlike player and penalty-less past two seasons, directed to the sin-bin for a tripping call.

First period—1, Vernon, Harms (Jakes, Lucchini) 5:08. Penalties: Millard, Harms.

Second period—2, Vernon, Lucchini (Pettigier) 6:06. Penalties: Lucchini, Kotanen, Harms (misconduct).

Third period—3, Vernon, Ballance (Hage) 5:04; 4, Vernon, Holmes (Ballance, Lucchini) 14:13; 5, Vernon, Tarnow (Geary, Lane) 19:29. Penalties: Jackson, Terry (misconduct).

POOR SHOW

KAMLOOPS—Annual minor hockey jamboree here proved a disappointment with gate receipts of only \$60.

BASEBALL LOOP TO STAY WITH SAME 6 TEAMS

Rutland's and Kamloops Oknops' applications for admission into the Okanagan-Mainline Baseball League were turned down by the league officers, the Rutland Baseball Club was informed by letter today.

The OMBL intends now to stay with the six teams of last year—Kamloops Elks, Vernon, Kelowna, Summerland, Pentiction and Oliver.

Art Gray of Rutland said the Adanacs and Okonots likely will form the nucleus of the 1953 B.C. Interior Baseball League, together with Revelstoke Spikes. Salmon Arm has been urged to make a fourth team. The BCIBL's annual meeting will be held in Salmon Arm March 15.

"REAL LIVING"

IT'S DOWNHILL FOR OUR BILL IN LA FRANCE

A Kelowna athlete whose forte was NOT skiing now is taking to planking like a Frenchman to his wine.

Bill Carr-Hilton is nearing the end of a three-week ski and survival course in Savoie, an eastern province in France that borders on Switzerland. In a letter to his parents here, the RCAF jet pilot reports "they have three towns here, all very long and strung together so that you get a three-mile run course into seven groups. Group one are nearly pros and Group Seven couldn't tell a ski from a toboggan. They put me into Group Three, which surprised me, but I am holding my own."

DRINK JUST WINE

Turning to general findings in France, the former local basketball and golf star believes he has found the reason "why the French never get anything done. They eat and drink too much. . . . Never see water or milk, so we drink what they do (wine). . . . Meals take an hour and a half at the minimum so you can imagine how much they eat." Quiet and not the type to become overly enthused about things, Bill Carr-Hilton has gone overboard for

the type of existence he's experiencing now. "This is really living!" is the way he concludes his letter.

TRY COURIER CLASSIFIEDS FOR QUICK RESULTS

WHEELERS DE-SPOKED
KAMLOOPS — Bessette Loggers thumped an under-manned Kerrisdale Wheeler team 9-3 Feb. 21 in an intermediate hockey exhibition game here.

Bee-Keepers' Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Kelowna Division, B.C. Honey Producers' Association will be held in the B.C. Tree Fruits Board Room on Monday, March 9th, at 7:30 p.m.

BUSINESS: Election of Officers for 1953;

Financial Statement, Reports, etc.


Mr. J. Corner, Provincial Apiarist, will show Moving Pictures and also address the meeting.

Orders will be received for Package Bees and Queens. All Bee-keepers are welcome, whether members or not. If you are interested in Bees, come to this meeting.

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overlapping of meeting dates.

Monday, March 2

Hockey play-offs, Penticton vs.
Kelowna, 8:00 p.m.

BPO Elks regular meeting
Junior Chamber of Commerce,
Royal Anne Hotel, 8:15 p.m.

Tuesday, March 3

Red Cross Blood Donor clinic,
Anglican Church hall.

Elementary and Junior-Senior
P.T.A., Junior High luncheon,
8:00 p.m.

Kelowna Yacht Club, 8:00 p.m.
IOOP at 8:00 p.m., Women's In-
stitute hall.

Kelowna Council, Knights of
Columbus.

Wednesday, March 4

Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic,
Anglican Church hall.

Kelowna Chapter No. 62, Or-
der of the Eastern Star, St.
George's Hall, 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 5

Kelowna and District Horticul-
tural annual meeting, B.C. Tree
Fruit board room, 8:00 p.m.

Annual general meeting of Kel-
owna Rowing Club, Arena
Memorial room, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, March 6

Kinsmen, Royal Anne Hotel,
6:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 7

Hockey play-offs, Penticton vs.
Kelowna, 8:00 p.m.

Monday, March 9

Rutland P.T.A., 8:00 p.m.

Young Artist series concert,
Constance M. Voth, Royal
Anne, 8:15 p.m.

Annual meeting, Kelowna Divi-
sion, B.C. Tree Fruits board
room, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 10

Canadian Club dinner meeting
Royal Anne Hotel, 6:30 p.m.

KART regular meeting, 7:30
p.m.

Thursday, March 12

Lions, Royal Anne Hotel, 6:30
p.m.

Friday, March 13

Local Council of Women, Her-
bert's Business College, 8:00
p.m.

Monday, March 16

BPO Elks regular meeting,
8:00 p.m.

KLT's "Night of January 16th"
Empress Theatre, 8:30 p.m.

Junior Hospital Auxiliary
Lady Lions

East Kelowna P.T.A., 8:00 a.m.

Soroptimist Club of Kelowna,
Royal Anne Hotel, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 17

KLT's "Night of January 16th"
Empress Theatre, 8:30 p.m.

IOOP at 8:00 p.m., Women's In-
stitute hall.

Jr.-Sr. P.T.A., 8:00 p.m.
Kelowna Yacht Club

Wednesday, March 18

Kelowna Chapter No. 62, Or-
der of the Eastern Star, St.
George's Hall, 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 19

Special general meeting, Kel-
owna Board of Trade, Royal
Anne, 8:15 p.m.

Friday, March 20

Kinsmen, Royal Anne Hotel,
6:30 p.m.

Kinsmen Arena Memorial
Room

Kelowna Art Council, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 21

Kelowna Figure Skating Club
"Ice Frolics of '53", 2:30 p.m. and
8:00 p.m.

Monday, March 23

Kinetics, 8:00 p.m.

Kiwans, 8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 24

R.A.C.C., 8:00 p.m.

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livan operetta, "Princess Ida,"
Anglican Parish hall, 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 26

Lions, Royal Anne Hotel, 6:30
p.m.

Directors of Community Chest,
City Hall committee room, 7:30
p.m.

British Israel Association pub-
lic meeting, Orange hall, 8:00
p.m.

Friday, March 27

Business and Professional
Women.

Monday, March 30

Kelowna Cancer Unit, Health
Centre, 8:00 p.m.

Friday, April 3

Kinsmen, Royal Anne Hotel,
6:30 p.m.

Monday, April 6

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Tuesday, April 7

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have already been paid.

CHANGE OF COMMAND

KAMLOOPS—FR. L. H. Welch
will assume the position of com-
manding officer of the RCAF No.
153 Base at Rayleigh March 4,
succeeding FR. L. A. Durkin,
who was transferred to Ottawa.

TO IMPROVE ROAD

KAMLOOPS—A request from
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to the Douglas Lake Road from
Westwood, on which a school bus
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office of the Forest Ranger, Kelowna,
B.C., the Licence X58278, to cut
460,000 cubic feet of Fir, Larch,
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on an area comprising of three
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Three (3) years will be allowed
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may submit a tender to be
opened at the hour of auction
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Further particulars may be ob-
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Forests, Victoria, B.C., or the Dis-
trict Forester, Kamloops, B.C.

GLENMORE ZONING

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Muni-
cipal Council of the Corporation of
the District of Glenmore will hold
a hearing on a proposed amend-
ment to the "Zoning By-Law," at
7:30 p.m. on the 10th day of March,
1953, in the Board Room, Irrigation
Bldg., Glenmore.

The proposed amendment is in
three parts.

1st. It would re-zone the Stewart
Brothers Nurseries, Ltd., property
into an Industrial Zone, to permit
construction of a new warehouse
and office.

2nd. It would authorize the
Building Inspector to permit the
set-back of private garages to be
varied to suit the shape and topog-
raphy of building lots in the Resi-
dential District.

3rd. It would re-word the section
governing repair or reconstruction
after a fire of any building which
does not come up to the require-
ments of the Zoning By-Law, to
make the said section conform to
an amendment to the "Town Plan-
ning Act" of the Province under
which Act the zoning powers are
derived.

All persons who deem themselves
affected by the proposed amend-
ment will be afforded an opportu-
nity to be heard before the Council
on the matters contained therein.

A copy of the proposed amend-
ment may be inspected at the office
of the undersigned between the
hours of 9:00 o'clock a.m. and 5:00
o'clock p.m. on any business day
from the 3rd to the 10th day of
March, 1953.

Dated at R.R. 1, Kelowna, B.C.,
this 2nd day of March, 1953.
R. W. CORNER,
Municipal Clerk. 58-2c

LOCAL MIDGETS
CINCH TO WIN
O-M LAURELS

While their older brothers are
mired down in their epic struggle
with Penticton, the Midget Packers
keep rolling along in their quest
for a B.C. championship.

They are almost a shoe-in now
for the Okanagan-Mainline cham-
pionship after polishing off the
Kamloops midgets 12-2 at Kam-
loops Saturday. That was the first
game of a home-and-home, total-
goal series. Date of the return
match is indefinite.

Taking a 3-1 first period lead, the
Packers stretched it with five goals
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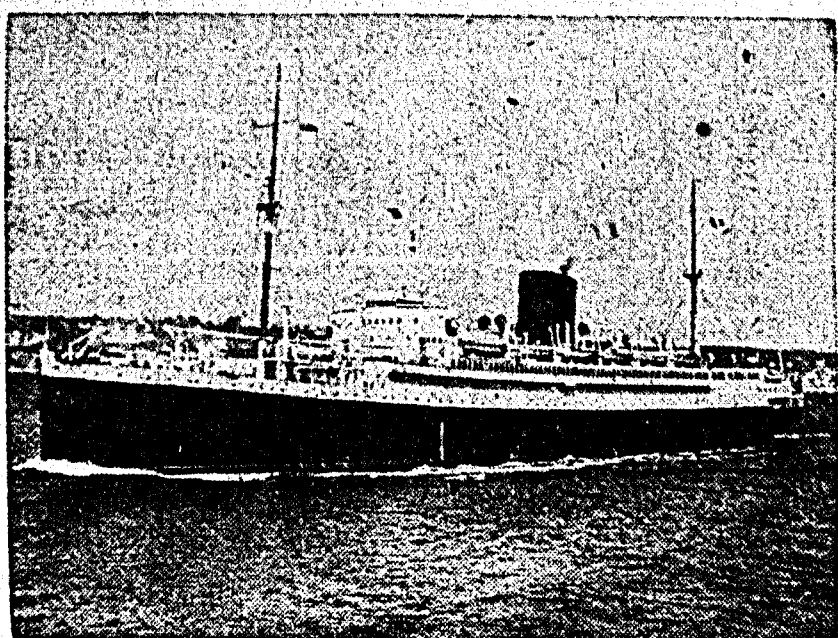
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FIRST VALLEY LAMBS BORN AT OK. LANDING.

First lambs of the season were born last week on the Okanagan Landing farms of Alan O. Davidson and W. A. Palmer.

Both Mr. Palmer and Mr. Davidson have herds of sheep running into the hundreds, and in view of the relatively mild winter, are planning to leave for summer ranges several weeks earlier than usual.

Okanagan sheepmen generally are complaining that the comparatively warm weather is having a detrimental effect on the fattening of their stock. They say sheep are not eating enough to put on weight.



THE 19,665 TON LUXURY LINER De Grasse has been purchased by Canadian Pacific Steamships for the transatlantic trade. The vessel, formerly operated by the French Line on the Havre-New York service and on West Indies cruises where she built up an enviable reputation for her comfortable and spacious accommodation, will replace the Empress of Canada, which was destroyed by fire recently at her Liverpool dock. The De Grasse has accommodation for 358 first class and 355 tourist passengers. It is expected that she will enter service under her new ownership sailing from Liverpool April 28 for Montreal. The ship was scuttled by her French crew during World War II to prevent her falling into the hands of the Nazis, and after the war was refloated and completely reconditioned, re-entering peace-time service in 1947.

Dr. J. C. Wilcox Reviews Gains Made By Fruit Growers in England In Field of Research, Development

AGRICULTURE conditions in Great Britain were reviewed by Dr. J. C. Wilcox, of the Dominion Experimental Station at Summerland, at a well attended and lively meeting of the Penticton local of the BCFGA last week.

Dr. Wilcox is the research officer on plants, soil nutrition and irrigation at the Summerland station and he read a paper on these subjects at the International Horticulture Congress in London last year.

While in Britain, he visited many of the agriculture colleges and experimental farms in England and Scotland and he stated that the research work at these institutions was going ahead rapidly. The work was co-ordinated by the govern-

ment through a research council.

Dr. Wilcox outlined the many difficulties facing farmers in England, citing the dry climate and the extent of lime in the soil in southern England as compared with the greater rainfall in Scotland as an example.

The speaker pointed out that while the hedgerows and stone fences give the impression of small farms, most of those he saw were of 300 or more acres.

HIGHER YIELD

Yields per acre were on the average higher than in Canada, he said, due in part to better care, the use of more fertilizer and the rotation of crops.

In tree fruits, he had noticed a lot of plums and cherries left on the trees, a condition which he attributed to lack of sugar content, a large crop and a shortage of money.

Mr. Wilcox said the acreage in desert apples was increasing while that in culinary varieties was decreasing.

Some root crops were grown under the apple trees and cover crops consisted mostly of stock grass which was kept cut short, he revealed.

There was some irrigation he said, but pointed out that there was a shortage of irrigation equipment. Britain was also experiencing difficulty in obtaining the proper containers for the packaging of fruit owing to the shortage of lumber.

"Most of the gas storage is handled by the co-operatives," he said. "No cold storage exists at the moment."

The British government encourages high production and a lot of large estates have been broken up and utilized for the growing of vegetables, Dr. Wilcox stated.

"The government controls the farmer, but not the farms," the speaker said, explaining that the farmer is classified according to his efficiency in the operation of the land.

Agriculture was encouraged by subsidies and prices were fixed on major crops, but not on tree fruits.

CHEAPEST MARKET
Because of industrial development, agriculture land acreage was decreasing in Britain, Dr. Wilcox stated, and he pointed out that, because of the dollar shortage, Britain bought its fruit in the cheapest market, namely in Italy and in the south of France.

Following Dr. Wilcox's interesting address, president Frank Laird, reported on a meeting with the executive of the local Board of Trade and said that closer co-operation with that body was assured.

He expressed the hope that the fancy quality fruit would be made available to tourists in the hotels and that plans would be made for proper retail outlets through the stores.

Mr. Laird gave a report on the recent BCFGA convention in Vernon and reviewed the proceedings followed in the election of officers.

At this point in the meeting, J. W. Johnston charged that his nomination to the Board of Governors had not been supported by delegates to the convention. This remark was followed by some lively comments from the floor and the general opinion appeared to be that the procedure followed in the election was generally approved.

Detailed discussion followed on the resolutions adopted at the convention.

RISING COSTS
Reg. Dunn, former governor of Tree Fruits, reminded the meeting that costs were mounting and the industry could not stand an increase. He asked for more centralization of authority and greater consideration to maturity, which he said varied with each packinghouse.

Frank Macdonald of the Penticton Co-operative Growers, said this district could stand on its own feet with regard to the quality of fruit grown and said that the trouble did not lie in the production or packing methods used here.

William Morris said he did not think that sufficient men of ability were available to run the fruit business.

Strong opinion was expressed by

the members that number two cherries should never have gone to market last season and it was suggested that these number two cherries be eliminated completely.

The meeting was advised that irrigation water will be run in both systems from March 9 to 21.

James English, reporting as a member of the central executive, stated that a commodity committee will be set up following recommendations from the locals regarding personnel. He stated that a labor negotiating committee, of which he was a member, had been set up.

He reported that the central executive had gone over all the resolutions passed at the convention and that they had been forwarded to those whose duty it was to carry them through. Mr. English assured the meeting that the central executive had the fruit growers' problems at heart.

Speaking on soft fruits, Mr. English said that quality was absolutely necessary if the crop was to be disposed of to advantage. California, Oregon and Washington were all earlier than the Okanagan and our starting price is their surplus price, Mr. English pointed out.

It was announced that the matter of fruit stands and fruit in stores will be thoroughly investigated.

F. L. Preddy brought up the question of being charged domestic water rates for supplying water to a picker's cab and claimed that this was an arbitrary assessment.

Herbert Corbushley said the city was adopting "dictatorial" powers and that farm land was being classified as "A" residential, while it was still agricultural land and, with the loss suffered from frost, its production value had decreased.

It was the consensus of opinion of the meeting that agricultural land should be on a fixed assessment.

The meeting gave full endorsement to the resolution passed recently by the North Bench Ratepayers' Association urging a low fixed assessment on land used for agricultural purposes of any kind within organized territory. The resolution has been forwarded to the municipal government by the ratepayers.

WESTBANK FLOOD RELIEF CONCERT NETS \$131.55

WESTBANK—Total of \$131.55 was contributed to the European Flood Relief Fund last week by the audience which poured into Westbank Community Hall to enjoy the benefit recital of classical and popular music given by Dr. P. A. Huitema.

The first half of the program, consisting of classical piano solos, included the following numbers: Group 1, Grieg, Lyries, Opus 12; Waltz, Watchman's Song; Fairy Dance and Norwegian Melody; Group 2, Mozart; Sonata in C Major-Allegro moderato; Andante-cantabile and Allegretto. Group 3, Schubert; Impromptu, Opus 90; Allegretto. Group 4, Chopin; waltzes; Opus 69, No. 1; Opus 34, No. 1.

Following an intermission the doctor proceeded with a number of popular selections on the piano-accompaniment, but before long the expected happened—the artist was called away to attend a patient.

During this interval the crowd, led by Mrs. Elsie Buzzell at the piano, and Mrs. Olive Seguss, conducting, took part in community singing, after which Miss Cherry Sellenrich gave a piano solo. By this time Dr. Huitema was able to resume his program and continued uninterrupted to the end.

A large crowd is expected to attend the public film showing, including "Royal Journey" in technicolor, to be given in George Pringle High School auditorium on Monday March 2, at 7:30; proceeds also in aid of flood relief funds.

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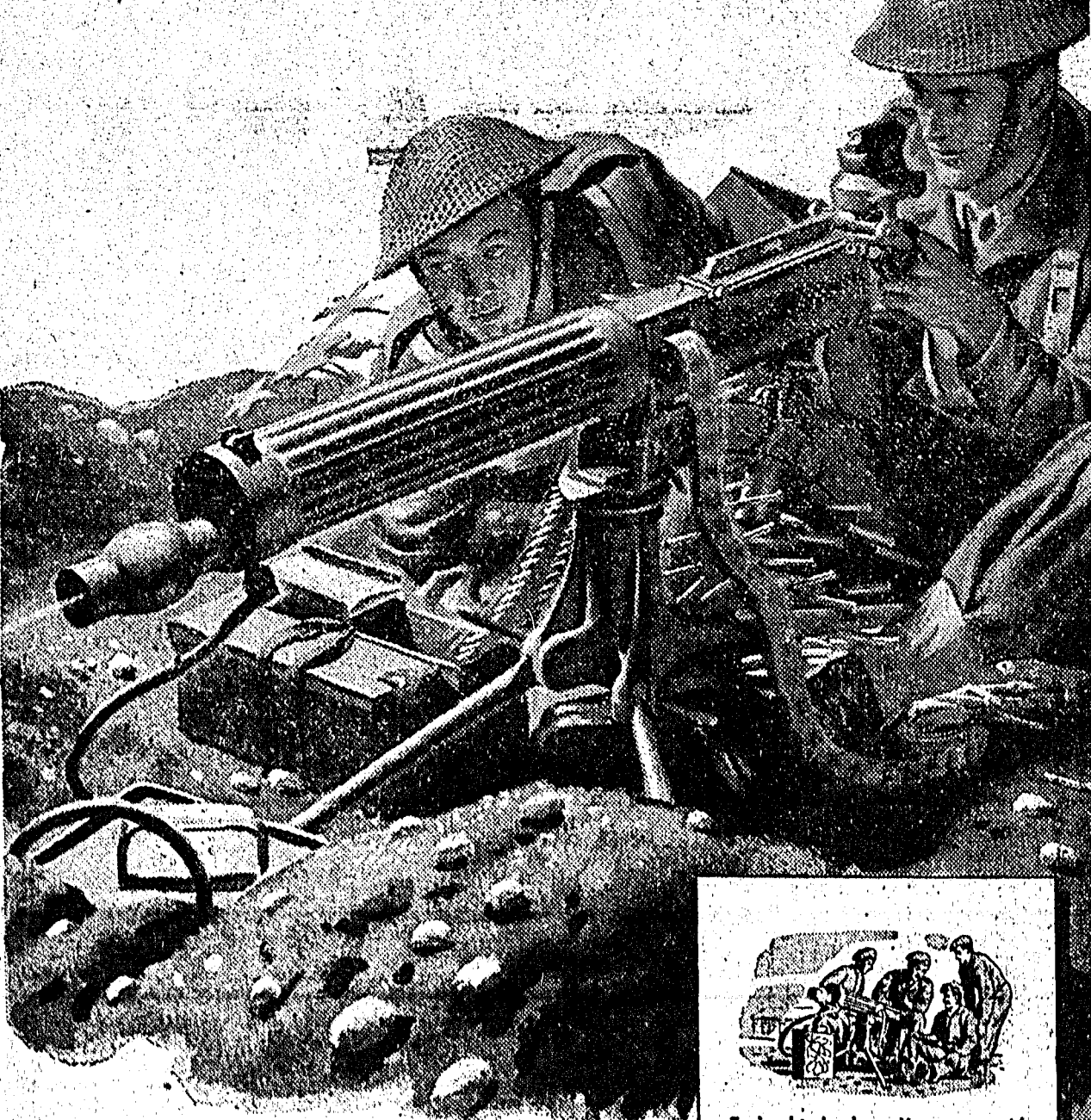
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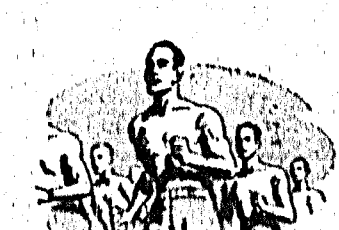
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—Central Press Canadian

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By JACK SCOTT

AGE OF DANGER

And then she is twelve. And one night the phone rings around a quarter to ten and it is a youth asking for her. Why, you say, all confused, she's gone to bed and who is this, please? Oh, the youth says, very sophisticated, this is Alan and would you please remind her of our skating date tomorrow? Yes I will, Alan, you mumble and you hang up the thing in a dazed sort of way.

Then you go to the bathroom and look at your face in the mirror for a long, long time. Suddenly you realize that you are peering at the gloomy puss of a man who is almost sure to be a grandfather within the next 10 years.

It isn't that you mind being a grandfather so much. It's just the thought of being married to a grandmother that worries you.

You begin to wonder about making out a will.

And then in the morning at breakfast you tell her that Alan called about a skating date and then you hear again the giggle.

The giggle! This is the sound that bridges the gap between childhood and maturity and you hear a great deal of it, wonderfully melodious and gay and yet a sound of uncertainty and confusion, the ancient blend of laughter and tears.

And then you catch yourself looking at her with somewhat futuristic sidelong looks when she is

absorbed in something.

The first faint blush of womanhood is there to be seen like the first pink stain of dawn and you marvel at the legs that seem to be stretching longer by the day and the space between the strong white teeth is gone and you think here is the makings of a beauty.

Or perhaps you catch a glimpse of her when she and her buddies are "dressed up" with their mothers' high-heeled shoes and wearing lipstick and you know that it is later than you think.

Sometimes there are flashes of the old tomboy, but more often now there's the tendency to be sedate and to fuss for long periods with her hair.

Sometimes, when time hangs heavy, she may help her younger sisters dress their dolls, but more often she is lost in her own reverie, a little girl, really, who wears saddle shoes and a kerchief peasant-style and a tartan skirt, yet clearly on the brink of something enormous.

You notice the changes in the little things.

You see that the picture of Hopalong Cassidy over her bed has been replaced by a picture of Doris Day.

Ah, there's the diary! Each night, curled like a kitten in a corner of the chestfield, she laboriously enters the saga of her day in the little book with the bright

green covers.

It's a book that somehow comes between you, the first real reminder that your paths through the forest must inevitably drift apart. There's a lock on the diary and a tiny golden key and it is not wise to joke about what is being entered there. This is private terrain. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

And though you know pretty well what the diary holds or think you know, you have an insatiable curiosity to look within it, not for what is there but because you are reluctant to lose any part of her, to have any part locked from you.

Now, at twelve, she has become sensitive to criticism and there is a new independence about her. She has a way of saying "Oh, Daddy" in an exasperated way that cuts you down to the size of Tom Thumb.

Your old reliable banter begins to fall with a heavy thud and you play rough-house and tickle her only when you are sure she's in the mood for it for otherwise you will be bruising the new dignity that she is feeling.

And you find that more and more you are playing to her, as an audience, painfully aware that you are something less than god-like in her eyes.

Yet sometimes you score with her and her laughter and the quick, fleeting admiration in her eyes like the roar of applause from a great crowded theatre. You would rather have her look of love than knighthood from the King.

SHOWS THE WAY

WOLFVILLE, N.S.—Miss Beatrice Sharp of Hampton, N.B., who took pre-law training at Acadia University here, has been appointed clerk of the Kings County circuit court in New Brunswick. She is believed the first woman appointed to such a post in New Brunswick.

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2. The best drivers are the ones who know how to plan their traffic manoeuvres in advance, and then signal their intentions to the other drivers. If you're going to make a left turn, move into the left lane well ahead of time and then give the proper signal.

3. Keep out of situations where you have to do anything suddenly. No jackrabbit starts, no abrupt stops, no quick swerves to another lane. Keep your car and yourself out of trouble by keeping your distance behind the other car.

4. Always drive in the right-hand lane, except when you're planning to make a left turn or when you are passing another car. In most places the law requires that you keep to the right of the roadway; in any case it's more courteous and it's safer.

5. Your auto horn is there for a purpose, but it doesn't help matters when you lean on it in traffic. Patience pays off. Even when the fellow ahead of you is slow to get away, you'll only cause irritation by honking at him. Leave your horn alone except when you really need it.

6. At the end of the day when

you're tired and your nerves are on edge, it's time to take it easy. Drive a little slower, be patient in heavy traffic, and give full time and attention to your driving.

7. Walk on the left, facing traffic. If you must walk on the highway, walk where you can see the cars and they can see you—on the left, facing traffic.

8. At night, if you must stop on the highway, pull your car well off the pavement, and turn your tail-light out. Many rear-end collisions are caused because the driver of a moving car follows the tail-light of one that has stopped ahead. Stop off the pavement, and turn off your tail-light, whenever you stop at night.

YOUTH GROUPS COMMEMORATE DAY OF PRAYER

Youth organizations from Kelowna and Rutland met in First United Church last week for an evening service to commemorate the World Day of Prayer.

Leading the service were representatives from the Anglican Church, The Church of the Nazarene, The Salvation Army, The First Baptist Church CGIT and the First United Church CGIT, while the Girls Auxiliary of the Anglican Church and the First United CGIT formed a choir.

A vocal solo was rendered by Dolores Krumm, while the girls from Evangel Tabernacle gave an instrumental selection and Mrs. H. Cowie played an organ solo.

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that of Canada which has but four people per square mile. He might with equal propriety have suggested that under these circumstances the two countries should very seriously consider a large-scale transfer of population. If Britain has too many people, Canada has too few; if an excess of population is holding back one country, a shortage of it is holding back the other.

Kelowna Kinsmen Club
Observes Anniversary

"Since February, 1920, when the first Kinsmen Club was formed by Hal Rogers to further fellowship and service among young business men, the association has grown tremendously over the years, until today there are 282 clubs with a total membership of 10,000," declared Charles Bruce, president of the Kelowna Kinsmen Club. Mr. Bruce was speaking at the 33rd anniversary of the founding of the Association of Kinsmen Clubs, celebrated by the local organization in the Royal Anne Hotel Saturday night.

On behalf of the City of Kelowna Mayor J. J. Ladd expressed appreciation for the service work of the local Kinsmen. Other honored guests were Mrs. Ladd, Mrs. J. H. Trenwith and Mrs. N. Taylor, representing the Soroptimists; Mr. and Mrs. F. Weber, Rotary; Mr. R. H. Wilson, the Gyro Club; Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams, Lions Club and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fox, Kiwanis.

In the toast to the Association of Kinsmen Clubs, Bill Bulman stressed the fundamentals of Kinsmen—service to humanity and fellowship. In the reply, Past District Governor, Arthur Jackson, explained how Kinsmen Clubs, together with other service clubs, could do a great deal to promote the democratic way of life.

Cedric Stringer proposed the toast to the ladies to which Mrs. C. H. Harris, president of the Kinette Club, replied. The message from National President of the Association of Kinsmen Clubs, Walt Gaudet, was read by Dr. Don Lim.

Dancing followed in the ballroom.

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O. L. Jones, M.P., has accepted the invitation from the city to officiate at the Coronation Day ceremony to be held in Kelowna June 2.

In accepting the invitation, Mr. Jones said that "this is in keeping with the desire of the government in Ottawa that all members should assist in every way they can to make Coronation Day an outstanding one in Canada."

CITY INFORMED
OF POTENTIAL
CAR HAZARD

Attention of the City Council to the potential traffic hazard at the intersection of Water Street and Mill Avenue, was drawn by H. E. Ewer, of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. at last week's meeting of city fathers.

A recommendation regarding the erection of stop signs at the intersection is expected by council from the traffic control advisory council. Aldermen last week intimated they are in favor of making Mill Avenue a "through" road.

Following is a copy of the letter Mr. Ewer sent to City Council Monday night:

"The intersection at Water Street and Mill Avenue presents a serious hazard to motor traffic on both streets due to the attention of ferry-bound drivers being centred on the ferry landing and hence failing to see the STOP signs. Drivers coming from the ferry do not see the STOP sign which stands too close to the property line, and there is no STOP sign on the light standard."

"Near-misses are of practically daily occurrence and just recently a car-truck collision could very easily have resulted in bodily injury or death of passengers."

"The dangerous conditions at this intersection have been a matter of common knowledge, and it is respectfully urged the Council take immediate steps to install traffic lights for the protection of the motoring public—both resident and tourist. Please don't wait until there has been a fatality!"

MRS. E. FLECK
PASSES AWAY

Last rites, conducted by Rev. Robert Brown of St. Michael and All Angels Church, were held this afternoon from the chapel of Day's Funeral Service for Mrs. Effie Fleck, 453 Morrison Avenue, who died Saturday at the age of 75. Burial followed in Kelowna cemetery.

A resident of the city for the past three years, she was born in England, coming to Canada as a young woman and residing in Alberta until 1927 when she came to the Okanagan to remain.

She leaves two sons, Bill and James, both of Kelowna, a brother in England and four grandchildren.

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In Valley Will Be on Dial Service
After Vernon 'Cut-Over' Saturday

INSTALLATION and testing of the Okanagan Telephone Company's automatic exchange equipment at Vernon is now in its final stages. Official "cut-over" from manual to dial telephone service is scheduled to take place at 10 p.m. Saturday evening.

Vernon's Mayor A. C. Wilde will make the token "cut-over" to the new system which will, in effect, place \$250,000 worth of intricate automatic exchange equipment at the fingertips of 3,400 Vernon and district telephone subscribers—the mechanical hum of the "dial tone" will then have replaced the telephone operators' questioning "Number, please?"

ANOTHER FORWARD STEP

Vernon's conversion to automatic telephone service follows by less than a year similar changes made in Kelowna and Penticton in April and September of last year and marks another completed phase of the vast three-year, three-million dollar program, first made public by the company's directors in May, 1950.

Vernon's new service comes as the culmination of a two-year, \$425,000 program of planning, engineering, construction and installation work carried out in that exchange. The addition of Vernon's 3,400 telephones to the fast growing number on automatic service, boosts to nearly 14,000—or 85 percent of the total telephones in the Okanagan system now on dial service.

Vernon marks the eleventh exchange to "go dial" in the short span of just-over five years, and leaves only four telephone exchanges still on manual service, at Arrowhead, Revelstoke, Salmon Arm and Endicott.

Improvements and modernization of switchboard equipment has been carried out or is planned in all of these latter exchanges. Also included in the telephone company's program of expansion and modernization for this year is the installation of operator toll dialing equipment to ensure improved and faster long distance telephone service throughout its system. This installation will be the very first of its kind anywhere in the province and will be placed in operation by mid-summer.

SUBDIVISION
PLAN TABLED

Proposed subdivision which will add around 26 more parcels of property to the city tax rolls, was submitted by Ald. Bob Knox at last week's council meeting. The subdivision is located between Ethel and Richter Street and between De Hart and Harvey Avenues.

However aldermen were not satisfied with the provision for the 50-foot roadway. Ald. Maurice Melkie pointed out standard width of roadways is 66 feet. Council referred the matter to Ald. R. F. L. Keller, deputy chairman of the lands committee, in view of the fact that Ald. Knox is out of town.

MRS. A. SHARPE,
WIDOW FOR 60
YEARS, DIES

The death occurred at her home on the Vernon Road Saturday of Mrs. Alice Sharpe at the age of 82 years. She came to Kelowna a year ago.

Final rites will be held Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. from the chapel of Day's Funeral Service, Rev. J. D. Gordon, B.A., conducting the rites of the Presbyterian Church. Interment will be in Kelowna cemetery.

Born in Toronto, the deceased lost her husband 50 years ago. She came to Winnipeg from Toronto in 1904, going to New Westminster in 1920. She lived in Winnipeg for another 11 years, immediately prior to coming to Kelowna.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Alice) Stranock, Kelowna, and Mrs. T. F. (Amelia) Taylor, Winnipeg; five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

MRS. M. J. CUNEEN
FUNERAL RITES
ON WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Mabel Jane Cuneen, a Kelowna resident for the past 40 years, died at her home, 3041 Richter St., Friday. She was 67 years of age.

Jehovah Witness final rites will be conducted by Mr. Doysman from the chapel of Day's Funeral Service at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday. Burial will follow in Kelowna cemetery.

The late Mrs. Cuneen married at her native Shoal Lake, Man., the family coming to Kelowna about 40 years ago. For some seven years she resided in Vancouver, returning to Kelowna in 1922 and residing here ever since. Her husband predeceased her nine years ago.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. G. (Evelyn) Hodgson, Long Island, N.Y., and one son, Mervyn, Flin Flon, Man.; two granddaughters and four great-grandchildren. Mrs. Hodgson arrived in Kelowna yesterday by plane from New York to attend the funeral.

WORK STARTS
ON HIGHWAY
RE-BUILDING

VERNON—Work has commenced on reconstruction of Joint Highway 6-87 from the north end of Mara Street to the Kamloops Highway cutoff at Swan Lake, according to City Engineer F. G. de Wolf.

The engineer said the General Construction Company had signed an agreement with the city leasing part of BX Park on Pleasant Valley Road for a campsite. Water had been laid on, and most of the camp was in place.

Construction of camp facilities is going ahead under the general supervision of sanitary inspector L. Benham.

Mr. de Wolf said preliminary work is confined to accumulating gravel; this week, the company's full force would be in operation.

He said it had become apparent that the company may wish its trucks to cross BX Creek, and in that eventuality, corrugated steel culverts would have to be laid to bridge the stream.

R. J. Marshall, T. Lacroix and R. H. Brown attended the B. C. Mainland Chinchilla Show and National Chinchilla breeders of Canada Show which was held in Vancouver on Friday and Saturday.

This was the first time the national show has been held in B. C. and great interest was displayed in this comparatively little known industry which represents a sizeable income to B. C.

Judges were Willard George, Los Angeles; Norman Boyd and William French, Vancouver.

Quartette skipped by Mrs. Velda Bebb fared best of the three Kelowna rinks in the B.C. ladies' bonspiel at Kamloops last week.

Mrs. Bebb reached the semi-finals of both the "A" and "B" events before bowing out. She also

remained in Kamloops for the rest of the week to compete in the annual club bonspiel, losing out in the final of "B" event to the Lytle rink of Vancouver.

Mrs. Lou Maartman of Kimberley won the B.C. title, downing Mrs. Thelma Murphy of Vancouver. It was the second such conquest in a row for Mrs. Maartman.

The other two Kelowna rinks in the provincial tourney were knocked out of the main competitions fairly early. The Gjerde four (skippered by Elaine Gjerde) reached the semi-finals of the consolation event before losing out. Mrs. V. Hou skipped the third rink.

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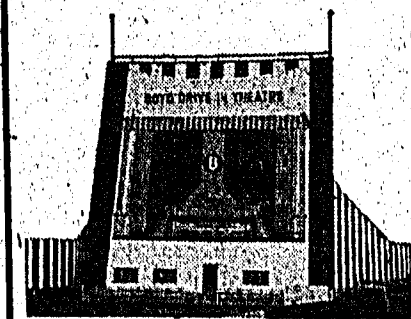
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